



CRSAC CAMPAIGN PROCEDURES

(Adopted 7-14-2022)

If a position for an elected board position is contested, candidates may campaign under the following policies. Campaigning outside of these procedures is strictly prohibited and will lead to a candidate being struck from the ballot.

1. Posted Materials: All candidates will be given a bulletin board area of the same size and in the same area in the lobby of the CRSAC, in which staff and/or election committee will post any literature or materials provided by the candidate. Suggested materials include a biography, a photograph, slogans, or any other material pertinent to the campaign. The bulletin board will go up on the Monday of the fourth week of October (10/17/22). Materials must fit within the designated bulletin board. Candidates may change materials as often as they choose.
2. Campaign Paraphernalia: Campaign paraphernalia (buttons, bookmarks, hats, stickers, etc.) may only be handed out to members at the open house event, and purchase of such materials is limited by the total spending expenditure limit.
3. Newsletter: Candidates may submit a short article for publication in the November Newsletter (225 words or less). The center will also take a head-shot to accompany the article. To be published, the article must be submitted prior to September 26.
4. Ballot Materials: The submitted 225 word (or less) article will also be included with the ballot mailed to members.
5. In -Person Campaigning: All in person campaigning by the candidate or their friends, family, or surrogates is prohibited at all on-site and off-site CRSAC sponsored activities, as well as inside CRSAC vehicles, and the CRSAC building including the rec center, exterior sidewalks, and parking lots, except as follows:
 - a. There will be one open-house style “meet the candidates” event during the last half of October, at which candidates be given the opportunity to give a short speech (time limited so all candidates have equal time), a Q&A session, and then circulate to talk with members. Campaign materials and paraphernalia may be brought for distribution at the open house.
6. Funding Limits: Candidates may only self-fund their campaign, and may not solicit or accept campaign contributions from any members or other third parties. The total expenditure limit is \$100 for all campaign materials including posters, printouts, and campaign paraphernalia.